## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

ROBERT GONZALES,

Plaintiff,

**v.** 

STATE OF NM PRISONS, et al.,

Defendants.

## **THIRD ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE**

No. 12-cv-0466 MCA/SMV

THIS MATTER is before the Court sua sponte under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2) and rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, on Plaintiff's civil rights complaint. Also before the Court are Plaintiff's two motions for service of process [Docs. 7, 10]. Plaintiff is incarcerated, appears pro se, and is proceeding in forma pauperis. Plaintiff has complied with the previous orders to show cause [Docs. 9, 11], which will be quashed. He will be required to identify individual Defendants for service of process.

The complaint alleges that unnamed correctional officers injured Plaintiff by using excessive force. Complaint [Doc. 1] at 2. The incident occurred at the "R.D.C." in Los Lunas, New Mexico, at 7:45 p.m. on February 22, 2012. *Id.* The complaint fails, however, to identify any of the responsible officers. *See generally*, Complaint [Doc. 1]. Plaintiff will be required to provide information necessary for serving process on Defendants, and his motions for service will be denied at this time. *Cf. Caldwell v. Martin*, Nos. 95-6101, 95-6381, 1996 WL 731253, at \*1 (10th Cir. Dec. 20, 1996) (unpublished) (noting plaintiff's obligation to provide defendant's address); *and see Petersen v. Carbon County*, No. 98-4010, 1998 WL 458555, at \*4 (10th Cir. Aug. 6, 1998)

(unpublished) ("[Defendant] was not timely served because [Plaintiff] had not provided his correct

address"); and see Olsen v. Mapes, 333 F.3d 1199, 1205 (10th Cir. 2003) (noting requirement that

Plaintiff cooperate with the Marshal on service of process). Failure to comply with this order may

result in dismissal of Plaintiff's complaint.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the previous

orders to show cause [Docs. 9, 11] are **QUASHED**;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiff's motions for service [Docs. 7, 10] are

**DENIED** at this time;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, within thirty (30) days from entry of this order, Plaintiff

file an amended complaint identifying the individuals—by giving their full names—who are

allegedly responsible for the asserted violations, or otherwise respond showing cause why his claims

should not be dismissed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

STEPHAN M. VIDMAR

**United States Magistrate Judge**